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## PREMIER DEFENDS **NEAR EAST POLICY AS "PEACEMAKER**"

"We Are Not War Mongers." Declares Lloyd George, Amid Ovation.

**MANCHESTER THRONGS HEAR CRITICS ARRAIGNED** 

Not Christian Maytyr for Pro-Turks, He Says, Giving Three

"Purposes."

MANCHESTER, England, October 14. -Prime Minister Lloyd George received an enthuslastic welcome when he reached the Reform Club here today for luncheon before delivering his eagerly awaited political speech. The huge crowd outside the build-



premier's appearance was the signal for a great burst of cheering. When cries of "speech" were heard Mr. Lloyd George paused a moment and then commanding silence with upraised hands, he said:

"I thank this great gathering for greeting me to this city to put the case of the government in the efforts which they have made to establish European peace and prevent bloodshed from spreading throughout east-prn Europe." premier's appear-ance was the

No Rush to War.

In beginning his speech at the which may mark a climax in the career of the striking central figure, | sioner in Constantinople. Mr. Lloyd George referred to the near eastern crisis, declaring the people of this country must not be-lieve that their government had en-deavored to rush Great Britain into

"We have not been war mongers, but peacemakers," he said.

The premier arose amid a tense silence of expectancy on the part of his hearers, who were looking to him from eastern Thrace, under the terms

lis hearers, who were looking to him to begin the fight for his political life. A great array of journalists eagerly seized upon his words and rushed them off to the four corners of the globe.

Continuing his defense of the government's policy regarding the near east, Mr. Lloyd George said the near cast, Mr. Lloyd George said the near ters had been conducted in a manner unprecedented in this country. The government, he declared had been assailed with misrepresentations such as no government had ever been subjected to. The country would resent this, he declared, adding ance has been largely modified by the

far little further on the prime min-ister said: "If there is to be a change there is no man who would welcome it more than I. I have had a long spell and a very hard one. I love freedom. There are a lot of things I

At one point in his speech Mr. Island George declared: "There has been speech after speech of intolerable abuse, and I am told to bear it like a Christian, but there are too many people about the world who think it is the business of Christians to be massacred by Turk or pro-Turk. I am not one of that sort of Christians."

LABORITES CALLED TO ACTION

400 Parliament Seats Will Be Contested, Says Herald.

By the Associated Press, LONDON, October 14.—A call to

the man and woman workers throughout the country it will lead

to a great electoral triumph." The newspaper says 400 seats in parliament will be contested by laborites. It appeals to every worker to contribute personal service and money to secure a victory. Emphasis of the urgent need of financial support is laid in the following

paragraph of the article: 'Our opponents, who know that this labor's opportunity, measure their "Our opponents, who know that this is labor's opportunity, measure their financial resources in millions of pounds. Their war chests are filled by the sale of honors, by the industrial kings, the oil kings, the newspaper kings and the shipping kings. The workers' party depends upon the pennies of the workers. A million shillings will give £50,000—the price of a single peerage."

Attention on Premier.

England's political crisis approached a climax today, with all attention centered at Manchester. Specifically it is merely a speech by tention centered on Manchester. Reform Club, with guests limited to 800, but actually it will be addressed to the entire nation, for the premier's every utterance will be broadcast with all possible haste by more than forty newspapers and press associa-tion correspondents. Lloyd George tion correspondents. Lloyd George himself, in an impromptu talk from his train during a halt at Stoke-on-Trent, on the way to Manchester, told the enthusiastic crowd at the station: "I am going straight to the British public to appeal for fair play."

Austen Chamberlain's address of sesterday and the editorial comments

thereon fill many columns in this morning's papers. The points most discussed are the probable effect of the speech on the ranks of the conservative party, the question of the alleged inevitableness of some form coalition in the next parliament,

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### Foil Attempt To Steal Thirty Candler Letters

By the Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, October 14.— Attempted theft of thirty letters said to have been written by Asa G. Candler, sr., to Mrs. Onezima DeBouchel from the office of Harold Moise, associate counsel for Mrs. DeBouchel, was revealed today by her attorney.

day by her attorney.

Mrs. DeBouchel returned here yesterday from Atlanta and went to the home of a friend, where she declared she would spend the next week in rest.

Mrs. DeBouchel said that her attorney, Harry Gamble of New Orleans, who accompanied her here from Atlanta, would file within the next few weeks legal action to compel Mr. Candler to divulge the name of the persons he is declared to have told her had brought him reports reflecting upon her character. Because of the reports, she stated, the Atlanta financier had broken off the engagement.

Three hundred letters written by Mr. Candler, which Mr. Gamble declared would not be made public at present, will be used in the proposed legal proceedings, he said.

## TO LEAVE THRACE

**Evacuation Before Arrival of Turk Gendarmes Slated** to Start Today.

EXPECT REFUGEE FLOOD

Civilians Show Panic as Hour to Leave Nears-Fear Repetition of Smyrna.

By the Associated Pres

CONSTANTINOPLE, October 14 .-The formal acceptance by the Greeks of the Mudania armistice agreement Suncheon and thus raising the curtain was transmitted to all the signatory on a new act in the political drama powers this afternoon by George Simopolous, the Greek high commis-

EVACUATION IS ORDERED.

Greek Officers Trying to Maintain Discipline.

MORE REFUGEES EXPECTED. Fugitive From Southern Anatolia

About to Leave. By the Associated Press.

MITYLENE, October 14 .- A new next week from the cities of south- guarantee that liquor on board the ern Anatolia.

This district was controlled by the Turkish nationalists throughout their Ey the Associated Press.

LONDON, October 14.—A call to labor to rally its utmost efforts to win the coming electoral fight is a big-type feature of the front page of the labor party's organ, the Herald, today.

"A general election is imminent," says the article. "The flowing tide is with labor, and if it is taken by the man and woman workers.

"A call to close proximity without serious friction. Now, however, all the women, children and old men have been given seven days to leave the country, while the men of military age are to be taken to the interior by the Turks. Adalia and Makri are the most important coast towns affected. This move is taken to indicate the Turks' intention of removing the minority population from all parts of the country.

CIVILIANS IN PANIC.

Pitiful Sights in Thrace Comparé With Those in Smyrna.

By Cable to The Star and Chicago Daily News. Copyright, 1922. CONSTANTINOPLE, October 14.— Eight thousand nationalist gendarmes are expected in Constantinople tomorrow on their way to Thrace. The municipality and people are making preparations for giving them a hearty welcome and a meal at the expense of the city, on the grounds surrounding the mosque of Mohammedan II, where the conqueror of Constantinople is buried. The municipality evidently desires to give special significance to this festivity becial significance to this festivity because this is the only mosque to
which unbelievers are not admitted.
Civilians in eastern Thrace are
panic-stricken. The Greeks and Armenians dread the arrival of the
Turks, while the Bulgars, Jews and
Turks fear the departing Greek
armies. The allied officers sent last
week to advise the people to keep
calm and go on with their daily
business are having a hard time convincing them that their lives and
property will be safe.
Pitiful scenes like those that occurred on the Smyrna quays when

## SHIP LIQUOR BAN, IN PART, DELAYED **WEEK BY WRITS**

Haynes Says Vessels Leaving Foreign Posts Have Until October 21.

DAUGHERTY'S RULING NOT TO BE CHANGED

Prohibition Commissioner's Notice Follows Visit to White House.

Application of Attorney General Daugherty's liquor transportation rul ing to foreign vessels leaving their nome ports and American vessels leaving foreign ports, which was to have ecome effective today, was extended one week, or until October 21, by order of Prohibition Commissioner Haynes today after a visit to the

White House. The extension was announced in the following formal statement issued by he prohibition commissioner:

"Because of pending injunctions and in order to give full time for compliance with the terms of the opinion of the Attorney General to the effec that the transportation and sale o liquors on American ships and foreign ships in the territorial waters of the United States are unlawful, notice is hereby sent through the press that the time for compliance therewith is hereby extended from October 14, 1922, to October 21, 1922, inclusive, as applicable to foreign vessels leaving their home ports or American vessels leaving foreign ports on or before October 14, 1922."

No Change in Ruling.

The order, Mr. Haynes explained makes no change in the formal ruling beyond the postponement of the effective date and has the effect only of allowing foreign vessels in home ports and American ships in foreign ports and American ships in foreign ports to sail for this country with liquor aboard on or before October 21 and enter American ports without violating the law.

Sale of liquor on Shipping Board ships, which was ordered stopped immediately upon the publication of Attorney General Daugherty's opinion, the commissioner said, will not be affected by the postponement of the application.

TEST CASE TO BE RUSHED.

Hearings on Injunction Will Be Sent to High Court.

YORK, October 14.-The question of the validity of the federal The Greek officers are making an effort to maintain discipline among their troops, so as to carry out the evacuation without disturbing incithe United States Supreme Court for would resent this, he declared, adding that there were "queer people let loose" in the press in these days.

Chamberlain Speech Aid.

"My task has been made much "My task has been made much easier," declared the premier, "by the speech which Mr. Chamberlain with clarity and lucidity, point and force, fielivered yesterday.

A little further on the prime minister said: "If there is to be a change there is no man who would welcome there is no man who would welcome the province that the state of the sentiment in favor of resistance has been largely modified by the announcement of the pending arrival of the pending arrival of 5,000 allied troops, as the Greeks obviously are unwilling to oppose the allies, although they might have made a determined stand against Turkish soldiers.

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Court.
The temporary stays were granted un'il Tuesday, when the two new cases will be heard along with the similar case filed by the International Mercantile Marine and the order remercantile marine and the order requiring federal enforcement agents to show cause why they should not be restrained from molesting liquor on the twenty-four vessels of the Cunard and Anchor lines.

Required to Furnish Bond. The United American line, which was represented by George Adams Elflood of refugees is expected early lis, was required to furnish a bond to (Continued on Page 2, Column 5.)

### Turkish nationalists throughout their war with the Greeks and the Christian and Moslem populations lived in close proximity without acrounding REPARATIONS PLAN

Brussels Conference Delay Feared as Result of Franco-British Split.

BY PAUL SCOTT MOWRER. By Cable to The Star and Chicago Daily News. Copyright, 1922. PARIS, October 14 .- No sooner has

the near eastern danger been averted temporarily than a new reparations crisis, due to the fall of the German mark, confronts Europe's harassed statesmen. The latest British pro posal to the reparations commission granting Germany what amounts to a moratorium of five years is unacceptable to France, the Poincare ministry has decided, despite the stringent measures of German financial reform contained in the British plan.

The British favor financial reform in Germany that will stabilize the mark and balance the German budget. but they believe that the less the allies themselves interfere in the attempt to effect the necessary measures the better it will be. The French, on the other hand, want to institute a regular allied debt commission with extended powers in Berlin.

Pitiful scenes like those that occurred on the Smyrna quays when the Turks arrived are being witnessed in Thrace. Thousands of refunction in small bundles, are camping around the railway stations, and fighting like mad to get on the trains that pass through Thrace twice a day. They do not know where to go, and are bitterly disappointed to be refused admittance on arriving at the Bulgarian frontier.

Most of the Greeks in eastern Thrace are directed to western Thrace, where the American Near East Relief and the allies are organizing stations to feed the 20,000 refunction in the conflict here may be said to be the prize of temperament. The British do not believe much in official interference in other people's affairs, while the French are accustomed to a strong centralized administration. The result of this new crisis may be the pontponement of the Brussels reparations and debt conference for which France has just begun preparing. Among other contemplated the postponement of the Brussels reparations and debt conference for which France has just begun preparing. Among other contemplated from the allies are organizations and the postponement of the Brussels reparations and debt conference for which France has just begun preparing. Among other contemplated from the allies are organizations and debt conference for which France has just begun preparing. Among other contemplated from the allies are organizations and debt conference for the state capitol, with some of the direct descendants taking a leading relation of Independence.

RICHMOND, Va., October 14.—Seven Virginia signers of the Declaration of Independence were memorialized administration.

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News Note: Wilmington, N. C.—An escaped elephant was caught and safely loaded into her car here today by the aid of a hoisting engine.

## IN NEW RAIL PACT

**Company Unions of Shopmen** on 16 Roads Agree—End to Litigation Pledged.

LABOR BOARD TO RULE

Both Sides Will Accept Decisions. Lines Affected Control 55,916 Miles of Track.

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, October 14.—Sixteen ratiroads have completed agreements with new organizations of their shopmen by which in effect the mer waive the right to strike and the companies pledged themselves not to litigate, both parties agreeing to

The mileage represented by sixteen roads, which include such systems as the New York, New Haven and Hartford, Lehigh Valley, Central of Geor gia, Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, Southern Pacific and Union Pacific, aggregates 55,916.

Others Negotiating. In addition to these roads, numer ous others are negotiating agreements with associations with their own em-

ployes. With the organization of company unions on the sixteen roads the federated railway shop crafts, whose official name is the Railway Employes' Department of the American Federation of Labor, which directed the recent nation-wide shopmen's

the recent nation-wide shopmen's strike, are without recognition or representation so far as the sixteen roads are concerned.

The Pennsylvania railroad, the largest of all the roads which have largest of all the roads which have made agreements with new organizations of employes, is not included in the list, that system having begun such negotiations before the strike. The Pennsylvania refused both to recognize the federated unions or to abide by the wage decisions of the Labor Board and still is in litigation with the board.

99 Roads Accept Agreement. There are 201 class one railroads of a total mileage of 256,000, of which the federated shop crafts have announced approximately ninety railroad companies (including several bridge and terminal and switching companies) with a mileage of 65,000 have settled the shop crafts' strike on the basis of the Warfield-Willard-Jewell agreement ratified by the shop crafts a month ago, by which a number of the larger eastern and western roads took back their strikng employes.
Excluding the roads which have settled with their own men and the Pennsylvania system, there remains a mileage of approximately 120,000 for which the roads are understood to be negotiating with their employees.

GRIDIRON DINNER DEC. 9.

Walker S. Buel Elected Member at Monthly Meeting Today.

At the monthly meeting of the Gridiron Club, held in the Gridiron room at the New Willard, at noon today, December 9 was decided upon as the date of the fall dinner of the club.
Walker S. Ruel of the Cleveland Plain Dealer was elected to active membership.

7 VIRGINIANS HONORED.

Tablet Unveiled to Signers of Dec-

### Mix Up in Battle; Destroyers Sent

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, October 14.—Fighting has broken out between the d'Annunzio Legionaries and the Zanella forces in Fiume, says a Rome message to the Central News to-

An Ancona message states that Italian destroyers have been dis-patched to prevent the departure of Fascisti forces from Zara for

## **NAVAL PACT JOLT**

Nullifying Reservations Certain, Says Reporter for Deputies.

PARIS, October 14.-Nullifying reservations to the Washington naval armament treaties are certain to be adopted by the French parliament, says the Paris Herald. quoting as its authority Lacour de Grandmaison, reporter of the chamber of deputies' committee in charge of the treaties.

There will also have to be reservations to the agreements limiting the use of submarines and poison gas before there is a possibility of their acceptance, it is stated.

PACT AWAITS TWO NATIONS.

Question of Effectiveness Settled by Own Terms.

In view of published suggestions that the five-power naval limitation treaty, negotiated during the Washington conference, might be made ef fective as between Great Britain, the United States and Japan, the three powers which have ratified, it is pointed out here that the pact itself specifically states that it is to become effective when all five powers have

duly exchanged ratifications. There is no reason to believe that the American government would favor or see any necessity for negotiating a preliminary three-power agreement making the terms of the pact effective prior to ratification by France and Italy, even though such a step would be possible through a three-power protocol.

Uncertain as to Action.

When France plans to complete ratification of the five-power pact is not known, but inasmuch as it was clearly indicated by the French delegates here during the conference that France had no intention nor need for building naval armament up to the tonnage limits permitted for her in the pact.

Since France benefits in naval strength very materially by the terms of the five-power pact, there are in-dications that the United States government as sponsor, for the as ment is content to await the French ratification at whatever time the ne-cessities of the French government will permit the action to be taken.

CASSESE IS CAUGHT.

Alleged Millionaire Bootlegger Captured in Savannah. By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, October 14 .- Anthony Cassese, alleged millionaire bootlegger, has been captured in Savannah Ga., according to a telegram received by the United States district at-torney's office in Brooklyn.

### Army Dirigible C2 From Pacific Trip Leaves El Paso

EL PASO, Tex., October 14.-The Army dirigible C-2, on a return transcontinental trip from Ross Field, Calif., to Langley Field, Va., started from the field at Fort Bliss at 6:30 o'clock this morning. Weather conditions were favor-

## Rivals in Fiume LODGE'S CAMPAIGN LIKE A PROMENADE

Absence of Live Issues Makes Senate Contest Very Tame Affair.

"HONEY FITZ" REAPPEARS

Former Boston Mayor Makes Earnest Fight for State Governorship.

BOSTON, October 14.-The contest for the United States senatorship in

better likened to a promenade. And it can be well imagined with what courtly grace and dignity the senior senator from the old Bay state, Henry Cabot Lodge, paces the procession; and those who know his opponent, Col. William A. Gaston, himself the soul of courtesy and con servatism, can visualize him almost bowing and saying "After you, my dear senator." The very atmosphere of the campaign is beatific, the Indian summer of politics, with as yet no

touch of frost to give acerbity. Coming from New York state, where the two principal characters. Gov. Miller and former Gov. Smith. are belaboring each other with san-bags and tar buckets, one seems to bags and tar buckets, one seems to breathe a different air. In point of fact, it might be better if there were a little more ginger in this affair, to get the voters stirred up. Apathy and indifference prevail to a marked degree, recognizable to the most casual observer, and reflected in a falling off in the registration.

No Live Issues. The trouble is there is no acute live issue in the campaign between the democratic and republican platforms. As to both the senatorship and governorship, it is largely a choice tory alignment with normal party af-filiation. On the latter score, the democratic party is badly disrupted, in contrast with the republicans, who at this time, and it has not always been thus in Massachusetts, are pulling together.

The seasoned political observer,

# **PUBLIC IS URGED**

(Continued on Page 2, Column 4.)

Inspector Headley Says Streets Safe if Present Rules Obeyed.

"Washington does not need mortraffic regulations, but a stricter observance of existing ones," was the omment today of Inspector Albert J. Headley, chief of the traffic bureau. on the latest movement to reduce accidents.

The inspector made a public appeal to every person who drives an automobile to have always in his or he nossession a copy of the traffic code The traffic bureau this morning ordered a large supply of the regulations and every car owner is urged to go to the bureau on the fifth floor of the District building on or after Tuesday morning and obtain a copy The death yesterday afternoon of eleven-year-old Grandon Osborne who was struck by an automobil-while riding his bicycle on Condui road, served to give impetus to the campaign to reduce the death toll on

campaign to reduce the death toll on the highways.

The Commissioners, at a board session yesterday afternoon, discussed thequestion of proclaiming anothe street safety week for Washington but no definite decision was reached. District authorities feel that motor ists and pedestrians should regard every week in the year as a period of safety. The car driver and the walker, they say, should approach street intersection with the same precaution they would exercise in crossing sailroad track.

#### Accused Slayers Of Rathenau Get Terms in Prison

LEIPZIG, Germany, October 14. -Sentences up to fifteen years' penal servitude were imposed today on the men who have been on trial in the political court here or charge of complicity in the murder of Dr. Walter Rathenau, late foreign minister. Ernest Techow, who drove the murders' motor car, re-ceived the maximum penalty, while his brother, Hans Techow, was sentenced to four years as an ac-

william Guenther was sentenced to eight years for complicity in the murder, and Karl Tillesen to three years for "transgression of public order."

The other defendants were sentenced. The other defendants were sen-tenced variously to from two months' to five years' penal servitude.

### BAFFLING MURDER QUIZ IN DEADLOCK

**Action of Governor Awaited** on Mrs. Hall's Plea for "Prosecutor."

RAISING HAYES

New Brunswick to Pay Expenses of Lawyer Who Defended Youth.

BY DAY RING.

Staff Correspondent of The Star. NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., October 14.-Four weeks ago today New Brunswick was stunned by the news of the discovery of the bodies of Dr. Edward Wheeler Hall, pastor of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, and Mrs. Eleanor Mills, choir leader, in a field just across the Middlesex county line in Somerset county. Today, after passing through a nonth of investigating, probing and

inquiry, New Brunswick went to work in shirt sleeves in an atmosphere of submerged excitement, in the knowledge that this bustling Middlesex county town of 31,000 souls is the scene of what is developing into the murder mystery of the gener-After all the work of the authorities,

the fumbling of clues and injection of new angles, there has been no direct arrest in connection with the case. Three persons are being held as a Massachusetts is not a face. It were result of the investigations, it is true, but that throws no light at all on the

The Bahmers were drawn into the case by Schneider's story. No im-

person his object it is generally con-ceded that, after the life is dispatch-ed, his actions immediately turn to steps for his safety. If the motive, however, is something stronger than the desire to destroy life for robbers or to stop lips that might convey information detrimental to the prospective murderer, revenge or strong personal animosity can be sought. There you are—Dr. Hall killed with one bullet through the head and the one bullet through the nead and the woman killed with three bullets, but her throat cut so deeply that decapi-tation was a matter of inches. For all of this, theories have blown up and exploded with amazing regu-

Bodies Are Exhumed. At first it was not definitely estab-(Continued on Page 2, Column 2.)

#### CIRCULATION of The Star:

It is believed that no city in the United States is more thoroughly covered by one newspaper than is Washington by The Star.

Yesterday's circulation. . 90,375 Same day last year..... 83,983 Less a few hundred left-overs not yet received.

Yesterday's Advertising of Local Stores:

The Star..... 52,275 2d Newspaper ......... 21,301 3d Newspaper..... 13,597

Washington.

## OF GAMBLING DENS OVER DISTRICT LINE

Present Charges and Will Be Summoned by Arlington Grand Jury.

COUNTY IS PLACARDED WITH EXPOSE OF PLACES

Prosecutor Clashes With Order. Which Claims He Had Been Told of Lawlessness.

Charges of the Ku Klux Klan of Arlington county, Va., in posters distributed throughout the county last night that three gambling houses are flourishing within its borders brought from Commonwealth Attorney Frank Ball today the announcement that he will summon all known members of the organization to appear before the grand jury Monday morning. Mr. Ball hopes to obtain sufficient evidence from klansmen to indict the proprietors of the gambling dens.

"I will even pay a reputable lawyer to represent the klan at the hearing." Mr. Ball added.

Mr. Ball added.

Members of the Virginia klans posted thousands of notices of the alleged gambling houses on trees and telephone poles last night at about 11 o'clock. The notices met the eyes of residents of Arlington county as they started the day's work and resulted in much comment. A poster was taken from a telephone pole by a reporter from The Star late today. It follows: Text of Poster.

"Friday October 13, 1922 'itizens of Arlington county, Va. Greetings:

"There has been a great increase in the activities of the lawless element in this county during the past two years. Certain gambling and liquor interests in and around Washington, D. C., have apparently selected this county as a safe territory in which to ply their trade. Many other unlawful operations continue unmolested.

"We are not fenatics on this sub-

other unlawful operations continue unmolested.

"We are not fanatics on this subject, neither do we wish to appear unreasonable, but, as citizene, taxpayers and voters, we demand that an attempt be made to erase these now intolerable conditions. We expect the law to be enforced, and when there is lax enforcement we stand upon our prerogatives as citizens, in seeking, by lawful means, to find a remedy. We want the county to be governed by the regularly consulted authorities and we agree that no man or set of men should be permitted to take the law into their own hands. We are lawabiding citizens and we have never taken the law into our own hands, nor have we ever contemplated such action.

Declared Evidence Collected.

Declared Evidence Collected. "We have collected evidence from time to time and we have tried to get action, but without success. We recently called the public's attention to a few conditions that existed in the county. We now wish to pre-sent additional developments. "For some months we have been portant facts against them have been revealed. Schneider, by the way, is having the second finger of his right hand amputated today. It is infected, hand amputated today. It is infected, scratched with a wire on a radio outfit some time ago. He is going to the Middlesex County Hospital today. His confession the other day, repudiating his charge against Hayes freed the latter. The whole town turned out to evince its confidence in Hayes and today almost 100 girls and boys are combing the city with badges obtaining subscriptions to defray the expenses of lawyers who obtained his release.

Belief exists in virtually every quarter that the crime was one of revenge. Otherwise, people are asking, why was the throat of the woman cut twice after she had been killed by three bullets in the head. Here's some of the sentiment lineup:

When a murderer goes to work with only the disappearance of the person his object it is generally contents.

streets, Wisconsin avenue and street, 12th and E streets.

Facts Offered. "Seeking a means to close these places, which had grown to such proportions, we decided to place the in-formation and details in the hands of formation and details in the hands of the commonwealth attorney, hoping that we might get the ringleaders with the evidence and permanently stop their operations.

"We now offer these facts: Prior to the opening of 'The Hilltop' a well known gambling fluancier was seen in the county conferring with certain

the county conferring with certain persons. He was observed at the courthouse for three successive nights. courthouse for three successive nights. The Hilltop' then commenced its operations. Our members commenced their operations. The Hilltop' has operated steadily ever since, with exception of a few days when it suspended action due to the scare thrown into it by our lost public statement. it by our last public statement.
"Throughout all of this time, no 'leak' occurred among our membership

'leak' occurred among our membership to arouse the suspicion of the gam-blers. On Monday night, October 9, full information and details were given to the commonwealth's attorney. On Tuesday night, October 10, all three places were closed, and have been closed since then. Said to Have Been "Tipped." "The same 'hilltop official' previous-ly referred to was seen at the court-house on Tuesday night, and later was present at the Maryland 'elite,' where he made a statement to sev-

was present at the Maryland 'elite,' where he made a statement to several klansmen as to the identity of the person who 'tipped' him off, at the same time remarking that that person had received a goodly sum of money for the tip.

"Most of our county officials are competent and efficient and have our full confidence. We appreciate the difficulties that confront the commonwealth's attorney or any officer responsible for law enforcement. We know that there are some men working under the commonwealth's attorney's office who cannot be trusted.

"We desire a clean county, and we have felt that the public should be felt that the public should be

acquainted with conditions.

"KLAN NO. 6.
County of Arlington, Realm of Virginia, P. O. Box 102, Cherrydale, Va." Says He Knows Klansmen.

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The reason that The Star is he great market place for adertised goods is because it is ead in nearly all the homes in Washington.

Says He Knows Klansmen.

Asked how he was going to obtain the names of the klansmen and present them to the grand jury. Mr. Ball declared that he knew enough of them personally. Mr. Ball stated that only a few days ago he was asked to join the organization, but refused to do so because of the masks. "I believe in the principles of the order," he raid today, "but do not like the idea of the masks."

Mr. Ball stated that it was not true that any one had taken steps to protect the alleged dens. "The Arling-(Continued on Page 2, Column 3.)

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